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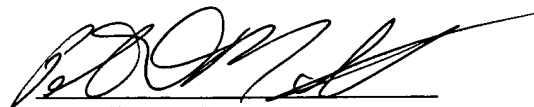
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C2	U.S.S.N. 10/806,080
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